

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of:

POWELL et al.) Attorney Docket No.: 18236.133
Serial No.: To Be Assigned)
Filed: Concurrently Herewith)
For: CLAMPING CLIP FOR)
BUNDLED SINUOUS WIRE)

Charlotte, North Carolina, August 25, 2003

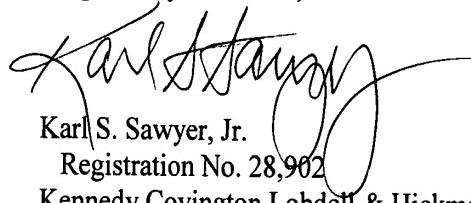
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56, the applicant submits this Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. A PTO Form 1449 listing references known to the applicant is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



Karl S. Sawyer, Jr.

Registration No. 28,902

Kennedy Covington Lobdell & Hickman, LLP

Hearst Tower, 47th Floor

214 North Tryon Street

Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

Telephone (704) 331-7400

-- Attorney for Applicants

Applicant: POWELL et al.

LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT
(Use Several Sheets if Necessary)Filing Date
Concurrently HerewithGroup
To Be Assigned

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
A		US 1,192,817	07/25/1916	Horsley			07/17/1915
B		US 1,197,844	09/12/1916	Muchmore			08/11/1915
C		US 3,152,350	10/13/1964	Vosbikian	15	229	10/09/1963
D		US 4,410,093	10/18/1983	Chiariello et al.	211	11	05/18/1981
E		US 6,128,882	10/11/2000	Jones	52	665	01/25/1999
F		US 6,490,763	12/10/2002	Tamura	24	49.1	01/24/2001
G							
H							
I							
J							
K							
L							

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation Yes No
M							
N							
O							
P							
Q							
R							
S							

OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

T	U	
V	W	

Examiner _____ Date Considered _____

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication with applicant.

Sheet 1 of 1

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" (37 CFR 1.10)

Applicant(s): POWELL et al.

Docket No.

18236.133

Serial No.
To Be AssignedFiling Date
Concurrently HerewithExaminer
To Be AssignedGroup Art Unit
To Be Assigned

Invention: CLAMPING CLIP FOR BUNDLED SINUOUS WIRE

I hereby certify that the following correspondence:

Information Disclosure Statement

(Identify type of correspondence)

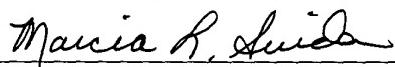
is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

August 25, 2003

(Date)

Marcia L. Siuda

(Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence)



(Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence)

EV333679164US

("Express Mail" Mailing Label Number)

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing.